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1. FURTHER TO THE QUESTION OF ACCESS TO USLO AS REPORTED IN REFTEL A, WE HAVE RECEIVED A LETTER FROM WALTER KAI FOY LEE (HONG KONG OM DATED OCTOBER 24, 1973) CONCERNING HIS BROTHER.

2. THE LETTER IS DATED FEBRUARY 26 AND STATES, INTER ALIA, THAT HIS BROTHER ARCHIE KAI CHEE LEE "IS STILL WAITING FOR PERMISSION FROM HIS SUPERIORS TO CONTACT YOU. THE LETTER YOU WROTE TO HIM IS NOW IN THE HANDS OF HIS SUPERIORS. IN HIS LATEST LETTER DATED FEBRUARY 9, 1974, HE INFORMED US THAT THE AUTHORITIES WANT TO TRANSFER HIM AWAY FROM PEKING. NO ACTION HAS BEEN TAKEN YET. HE IS TRYING TO REMAIN IN PEKING WHERE IT WILL BE MORE CONVENIENT TO CONTACT THE UNITED STATES LIAISON OFFICE WHEN PERMISSION IS GRANTED."

3. WALTER KAI FOY LEE VISITED USLO LAST OCTOBER AND AT HIS REQUEST WE WROTE A LETTER TO ARCHIE KAI CHEE LEE STATING THAT HIS BROTHER INFORMED US THAT HE BELIEVED THAT
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HE (ARCHIE) HAD A CLAIM TO AMERICAN CITIZENSHIP. WE SAID

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THAT IN ORDER TO VALIDATE THIS CLAIM THAT IT WOULD BE NECESSARY FOR HIM TO CALL AT THE LIAISON OFFICE IN ORDER TO INITIATE THE NECESSARY ACTION AND GAVE HIM THE HOURS OF THE LIAISON OFFICE.

4. WHEN DEAN ALICE ILCHMAN (REFTEL B) CALLED ON THE LIAISON OFFICE ON MARCH 19, SHE LEFT COPIES OF SOME OF THE CORRESPONDENCE BETWEEN WELLESLEY, AND THE GRANDMOTHER, THE MOTHER, AND THE YANG SISTERS.

5. ONE LETTER FROM THE GRANDMOTHER, SZE TSONG YUAN WONG, WHO LIVES IN SOOCHOW, STATES THAT "MY DAUGHTER" (THE YANG SISTERS' MOTHER) "AND HER HUSBAND HAVE BEEN TRYING TO APPLY FOR PERMISSION TO LEAVE" (CHINA). THEY ASKED PERMISSION TO CALL ON THE LIAISON OFFICE IN PEKING, BUT WERE ADVISED NOT TO, NOR WRITE." THE LETTER WAS DATED DECEMBER 31, 1973.

6. A LETTER FROM THE YANG SISTERS DATED DECEMBER 28, 1973 TO THE BOARD OF ADMISSION OF WELLESLEY STATES THAT THEY ARE HAVING DIFFICULTIES IN LEAVING SOON BUT THAT THEY HAVE SENT APPLICATIONS TO GET PERMISSION TO LEAVE. THE LETTER DOES NOT STATE TO WHOM THE APPLICATION WAS MADE. THE LETTER DOES STATE, "BESIDES IT IS NOT CONVENIENT FOR US TO GET IN TOUCH WITH THE UNITED STATE LIAISON OFFICE IN PEKING."
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